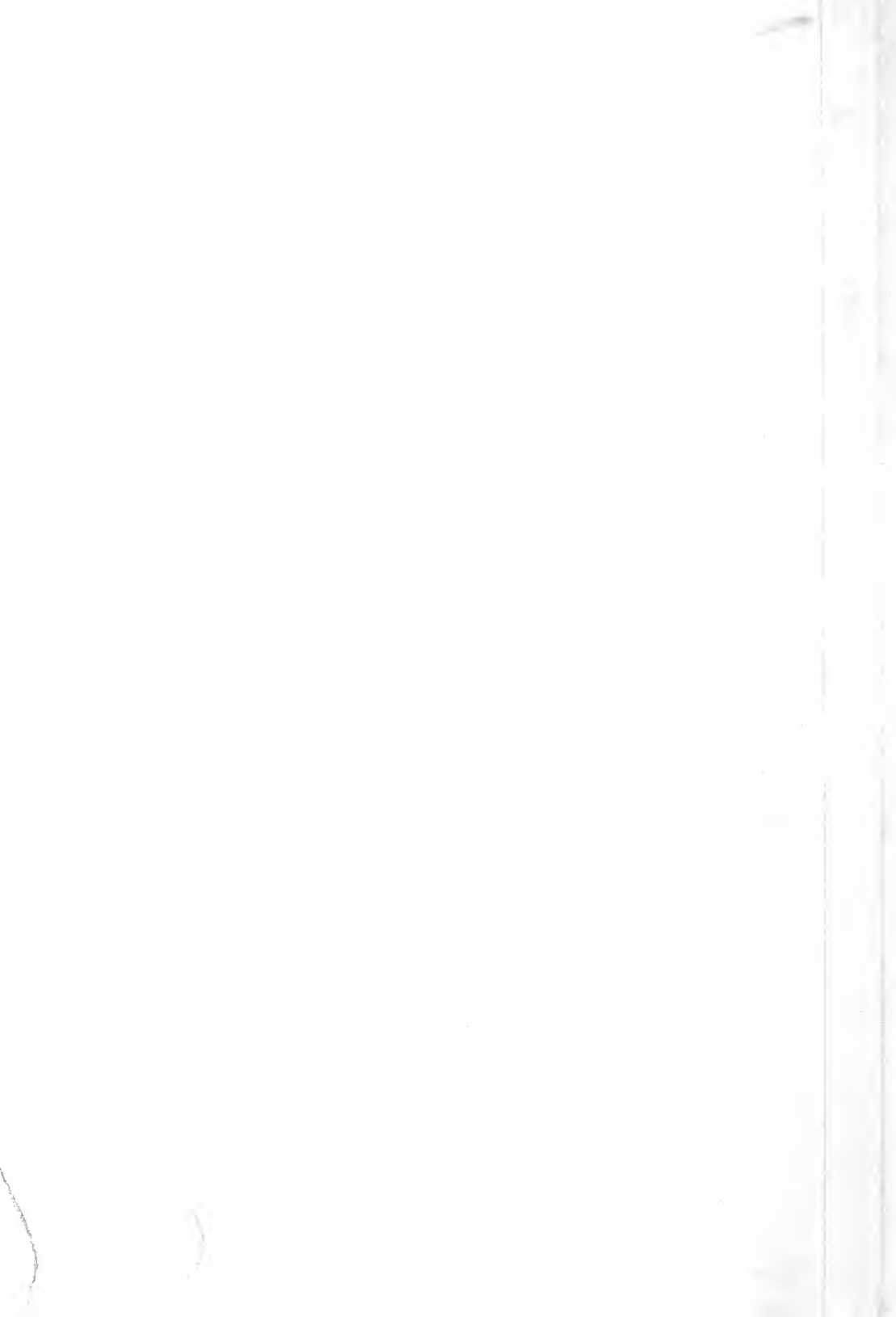


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To Our Customers:

On account of the rapidly growing interest in new varieties of Peas producing large pods on short vines, we have made up the following list of Peas (of this general class) in order to show the similarities and differences of the various sorts.

You will notice we have included among dwarfs, some which grow as tall as 31 inches in Montana under irrigation, while the shortest is Laxtonian and grows 19 inches tall in the same locality.

Irrigated conditions in the Far West seem to add 30 to 50 per cent. to the height of the vines, while at the same time, there seems to be comparatively little difference in the size of the pods between irrigated Western grown and New York State grown short-vine varieties where the conditions of the latter as to soil, climate and moisture-supply are favorable. On this account, you ought to hope to get very nearly as large pods under favorable conditions in the East as are grown under irrigation in the Far West, and the development in the East requires much less time than in the irrigated sections of the Far West.

FOLLOWING IS THE LIST:

VARIETY	HEIGHT OF VINE	LGTH. OF POD	DAYS TO 1st PICK'G	COLOR OF VINES	COLOR OF PODS COMPARED WITH VINES	SHAPE OF POD	QUAL- ITY
	Inches	Inches					
Blue Bantam	26	4½	82	Med. dark green	Trifle lighter	Pointed	Fine
British Wonder	24	3¾	88	Med. light green	Trifle lighter	Blunt	Fine
*Buttercup	31	4½	89	Med. light green	Trifle lighter	Pointed	Good
Carter's Daisy	30	4¾	95	Med. light green	Much lighter	Med. pointed	Fine
†Eldorado (A Dw'f Pilot)	20	3¾	82		Med. dark gr'n	Pointed	Poor
Excelsior, Sutton's (Dark Pod'd) (Prolific)	27	4	83	Med. dark green	Lighter	Blunt	Fine
Excelsior, Sutton's (Light Pod'd) (Early)	27	4	80	Med. light green	Trifle lighter	Blunt	Fine
Laxtonian	19	4¼	81	Med. dark green	Same as vines	Pointed	Fine
Marvelous	28	3¾	78	Part Med. dark green Part Med. light green	Trifle lighter	Blunt	Fine
Peter Pan	22	4	82	Med. light green	Same as vines	Curved pod somewhat p'd	Fine
Pioneer	24	4½	77	Med. light green	Same as vines	Pointed	Fine
*Superb, Laxton's	22	4¼	84	Light green	Trifle darker	Pointed	Fair to poor
Top o' the Morn	24	3¾	79	Med. light green	Same as vines	Blunt	Good

*Semi-wrinkled Seed.

†Smooth Seed.

Perhaps we should mention in this connection, Little Marvel and English Wonder which make pods nearly large enough to be classed with the above varieties, although in our general descriptive list we call them small podded dwarfs.

Little Marvel	24	3½	81	Med. dark green	Same as vines	Blunt	Fine
English Wonder	27	3¾	83	Med. light green	Trifle lighter	Blunt	Good

Hoping this list may be of interest and value to you and assuring you it is a pleasure to us to study these matters carefully and give our friends the benefit of our work along these lines, we beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

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